

BIKEWAYS AND WALKWAYS COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes – April 12, 2016 at 12:00 PM
Courtyard Conference Room

Member Attendance:

Joel Peterson (Chair) - Absent
Paul Hart (Vice Chair)
Ken Behymer - Absent
Chip Dennerlein - Absent
Larry Turpen - Absent
Cliff Kuhlman
Mark Lansing - Absent
Leslie Orr
Mark Acosta
Dana Christensen - Absent

City/Staff/Council Liaisons:

Fred Saunders (PCD Senior Planner)
Rob Brandes (JoCo Public Works)
Dan Dorrell (ODOT) - Absent
Valerie Lovelace (City Council)
Keith Heck (County Commissioner) - Absent
Ed Burke (Public Safety)

Guests:

Mayor Darin Fowler

I. Business – Continuing

A. Approval of Minutes – March 8, 2016

MOTION/VOTE

Committee Member Orr moved and Committee Member Christensen seconded the motion to approve the minutes from the March 8, 2016 meeting as presented. The vote resulted as follows: “AYES”: Committee Members Hart, Kuhlman, Orr, Acosta and Christensen. “NAYS”: None. Abstain: None. Absent: Committee Members Peterson, Behymer, Dennerlein, Turpen, and Lansing. The motion passed.

B. Volunteer of the Year Discussion – Darin Fowler

- The volunteer dinner will be held on July 14th at Reinhart Park. Three awards will be given, one for Volunteer of the Year, one for Volunteer Group of the Year, and one for the Future Citizen Scholarship Program.
- The deadline for applications is June 1st.
- Mayor confirmed that any area volunteer can be nominated. City Committees are not excluded from being nominated.

C. Updates From Staff/Liaison and questions for Staff/Liaison

1. Public Safety

- None

2. City

- The trail repairs at Allen Creek Trail and Allendale School have been postponed until school is out due to the wet weather during spring break.
- Removing some hazard Cottonwood Trees.

- Plans available for bid on April 28th for the Redwood Ave Projects. There will be a pedestrian crossing at Allen Creek and a flashing beacon at Redwood Circle.
- Working with District 7 on the Portola Trail around Riverside School.
- Lincoln road from Bridge to Reinhart Park is in construction
- Next year looking into Pine ST and Greenwood Ave.
- A committee member let Fred know that a crosswalk is needed at Midland and Lawnridge.
- A committee member let Fred know that the sharrows at 6th and M appear to be in the wrong lane.

3. County

- Tom pierce park trail is starting to sink. There are no solutions at this point, will be an extensive project.
- Working on restenciling, more signage, potholes, and chip seals.
- The S curve where Upper River Rd comes into G St has an excessive amount of gravel on the right.

4. ODOT

- The sharrows at the approach to Caveman Bridge need to be restriped.

D. Club NW Bike Rodeo May 21st – Volunteers and Bike Shop Contacts

- Darcie put together a flyer for the event.
- Leslie is going to talk to the owners at BikeKraft and see if they will be willing to volunteer to be at the rodeo and service bikes.
- Don has volunteered in the past and would be another option.
- Darcie needs the commitment to put the information in the flyer as soon as possible.
- Looking for volunteers to set up and to help run it. Dana will be there, Paul will be there.

II. Business – New

- Joel Peterson is stepping down.
- Need to find a new Chair and committee member.

Next meeting date: May 10, 2016 at 12:00 pm in the Courtyard Conference Room

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